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PATENT APPLICATION Docket No. 16096.5

| IN TH   | E UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFIC   | RECEIVED CENTRAL FAX CENTER |
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| In re application of                                      |  | ) OCT 2 0 2005              |
|   | Khemani et al.   | )                           |
| Serial No.  | 10/087,256   | ) Art Unit<br>) 1711        |
| Confirmation No.  | 4244   | )                           |
| Filed:  | March 1, 2002  | )                           |
| For:  | BIODEGRADABLE POLYMER BLENDS FOR<br>USE IN MAKING FILMS; SHEETS AND OTHER<br>ARTICLES OF MANUFACTURE | )<br>)<br>)                 |
| Examiner:   | Ana Lucrecia Woodward  | )                           |
| Customer No.:   | 022913   | )                           |
|   | PETITION FOR 1-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME   |                             |
| Commissioner for P<br>P.O. Box 1450<br>Alexandria, VA 223 |  |                             |

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 41.37(e), 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)(1), and 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1), it is respectfully requested that the period set for filing an Amendment "C and Response be extended for one (1) month until November 8, 2005.

Form PTO-2038 is enclosed which includes the amount of \$120 for the extension fee.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee or to credit any overpayment in connection with this Pctition to Deposit Account No. 23-3178 as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17.

DATED this 20 day of October 2005.

Respectfully submitted,

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